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**WALKER STATEMENT ON WORK-RELEASE INMATE CHARGED WITH MURDER**

MILWAUKEE – County Executive Scott Walker issued the following statement on the work-release inmate charged with murder:

“The case of Freddy T. Dudley is completely unacceptable. Earlier today, I met with Superintendent of the House of Correction Ron Malone and Corrections Manager at the Community Correctional Center Darlene Jones-Grams to review current policies and implement corrective measures where needed. It is clear to me that numerous policies established by the department to ensure the accurate count and housing of Huber inmates were not followed in this case. The management of the CCC has instructed all the members of the staff to review and fully implement these policies.

With regards to the staff involved with this case, I directed Superintendent Malone to immediately initiate disciplinary hearings, and to reassign any staff involved until those hearings are complete. We must have zero tolerance for those who do not follow the established policies needed to ensure that Huber offenders are accounted for at the CCC or at their place of employment.

The best long-term solution to this type of situation is to enact the plan in my 2008 budget proposal that will replace the CCC with 24-hour GPS monitoring equipment. This will allow the county to supervise Huber offenders 24/7 and know their every action.

**Bottom line:** there must be a zero tolerance policy, staff must follow every established policy, and anyone who does not must be disciplined or terminated.”

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